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Proposed Amendments to Division of Insurance Regulations
211 CMR 16.00, 211 CMR 90.00, 211 CMR 110.00,
211 CMR 140.00 and 211 CMR 144.00
Docket No. G2025-04

NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A and the authority granted to the Commissioner of Insurance (“Commissioner”) under M.G.L. c. 152, c. 175, and c. 176H, the Commissioner will hold a hearing on August 21, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. to consider proposed amendments to these regulations. The hearing will be held virtually using TEAMS, a digital meeting program. The purpose of the hearing is to afford persons who wish to comment on these proposed regulatory changes an opportunity to do so.

The proposed regulatory changes are summarized below.

211 CMR 16.00. Petitions for the Adoption, Amendment or Repeal of Regulations. The amendment removes the requirement that submissions be submitted on paper by first class mail and allows submission by electronic mail.

211 CMR 90.00. Legal Services Plans. The amendments remove requirements that filings be made on paper and that company records be kept on microfilm.

211 CMR 110.00. Procedures Concerning Rate Filings and the Conduct of Hearings for Workers’ Compensation Insurance. The amendments remove the requirements for submitting paper copies of filings and allow for electronic submission.

211 CMR 140.00. Procedures Concerning the Merger or Consolidation of Insurance Companies. The amendments remove requirements for submitting multiple copies of filings on paper or computer discs and allow for electronic submission of such documents.

211 CMR 144.00. Procedures for the Regulatory Review of and Public Hearings on Plans of Reorganization or Conversion pursuant to M.G.L. c. 175, §§ 19F-19W. The amendments remove requirements for submitting multiple copies of filings on paper or computer discs and allow for electronic submission of such documents.

The proposed changes are available for inspection on the Division’s website at: <https://www.mass.gov/lists/division-of-insurance-public-hearings>

Persons who wish to attend the public hearing must register to attend by sending an email including their name, telephone number and email address to doidocket.mailbox@mass.gov at least two days before the scheduled hearing date. The registration must refer to Docket No G2025-04 and specify the regulation(s) on which they wish to comment. An email with instructions for joining the hearing will be sent on the day before the hearing.

Dated: June 13, 2025

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